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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Briefing to the House of Representatives  
Science and Astronautics Committee

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1. On this date Messrs. Robert Anderson, William Fulkerson and [REDACTED] (Legislative Counsel) went to the Rayburn Building to brief Representative Teague and selected members of the Science and Astronautics Committee Staff. Jack Swigert and Jim Wilson (staff members) were present. Representative Teague was not.

2. The purpose of the meeting was a briefing on the recent Salyut failure but the discussion also covered the entire Salyut program as well as the TT-05 program.

3. During the discussion the subject of US/Soviet cooperation, Apollo-Soyuz Test Program, came up. I was asked by Mr. Swigert what the US had to gain "technologically" from this program. It was made very clear that this question is of great concern to Congressman Teague in his role as Chairman of this Committee. I replied that I thought that little or nothing could be gained.

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